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## MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Implementation Policy for the Army National Guard (ARNG) Military Technicians (Dual Status) Reenlistment Bonus

- 1. References.
  - a. Section 308b, Title 37 United State Code (37 USC, Sec 308b).
- b. NGR 600-200, Army National Guard Personnel Management, Chapter 7, 1 March 1997.
  - c. AR 135-7, Incentive Programs 15 April 1996.
- d. Memorandum, Under Secretary of Defense, 3 November 2005, Subject: Approval to Change DoD Instruction 1205.21 "Reserve Component Incentive Programs Procedures".
- e. Memorandum, Under Secretary of Defense, 3 November 2005, Subject: Exception to DoD Instruction 1205.21, "Reserve Component Incentive Programs Procedures"-Selected Reserve Reenlistment Bonus for Deployed Military Technicians (Dual Status).
- f. Department of Defense Instruction (DoDI) 1205.21, Selected Reserve Incentive Program Procedures, 19 September 1999.
- g. Secretary of Defense Memorandum, "Enhancements to the Reserve Component Incentive Programs," 14 April 2006.
- 2. The purpose of this memorandum is to provide clarifying guidance on the Reenlistment Bonus (REB) for ARNG Military Technicians (Dual Status) currently serving in Iraq, Afghanistan or Kuwait in support of Operation Enduring Freedom (OEF) and Operation Iraqi Freedom(OIF) (in theater).
- 3. This policy is effective as of 1 January 2008 and will expire not later than (NLT) 31 December 2008 unless rescinded or superseded.

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- 4. Eligibility. In addition to current reenlistment/extension eligibility criteria published in Select Reserve Incentives Program (SRIP) policy, Soldiers must meet all of the criteria listed below:
- a. Must be a Dual Status Military Technician serving in Iraq, Afghanistan or Kuwait in support of OEF or OIF (in theater).
- b. Must not have more than 16-years total military service upon Expiration Term of Service (ETS).
- c. Must be fully eligible to reenlist or extend in accordance with NGR 600-200, Chapter 7.
- d. Must execute a reenlistment or voluntary extension of enlistment while serving on active duty in theater.
- 5. Payment Rate and Schedule:
- a. Applicants who enlist for a six year enlistment will receive a \$15,000 bonus. payable lump sum upon the date the new term of service begins.
- b. Applicants who enlist for a three year enlistment will receive a \$7,500 bonus. payable lump sum upon the date the new term of service begins. Note: Soldiers who have ever previously served in any Selected Reserve on a re-enlistment/extension bonus contract may only receive \$6,000.
- 6. The POC for this memorandum is MSG Mitchell T. Flemming, DSN 327-7230/CML 703-607-7230 or mithcell.flemming@us.army.mil or SFC Eric A. Bell, DSN 327-7738/CML 703-607-7738 or eric.a.bell@ng.army.mil.

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